

CHAPTER 4 CONSULTATION AND COORDINATION

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<i>Experience</i>	Employed as a botanist for the Forest Service since 1990 providing IDT input and managing field crews, with an emphasis on rare plant and noxious weed management in forest Service Regions 4 and 5. Also employed as an adjunct professor at Sierra Community College in the Environmental Horticulture (EH) Department, with an emphasis teaching short-duration field courses for the EH and Biology Departments.

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<i>Experience</i>	Published numerous papers on Black Hills Historic Figures Seven years experience as a Principle Investigator primarily with Homestead and Mining sites. Registered Professional Archaeologist (RPA)

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<i>Experience</i>	Twelve years of experience in fisheries management and related sciences in Forest Service Region 4.

Don Murray	District Staff
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Distribution of the Environmental Impact Statement ____

This environmental impact statement has been distributed to individuals who specifically requested a copy of the document. In addition, copies have been sent to the following Federal agencies, federally recognized tribes, State and local governments, and organizations representing a wide range of views regarding the Elk Bugs and Fuels Project.

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